

THE  
BLUE  
AND  
WHITE

CLASS OF

1929


















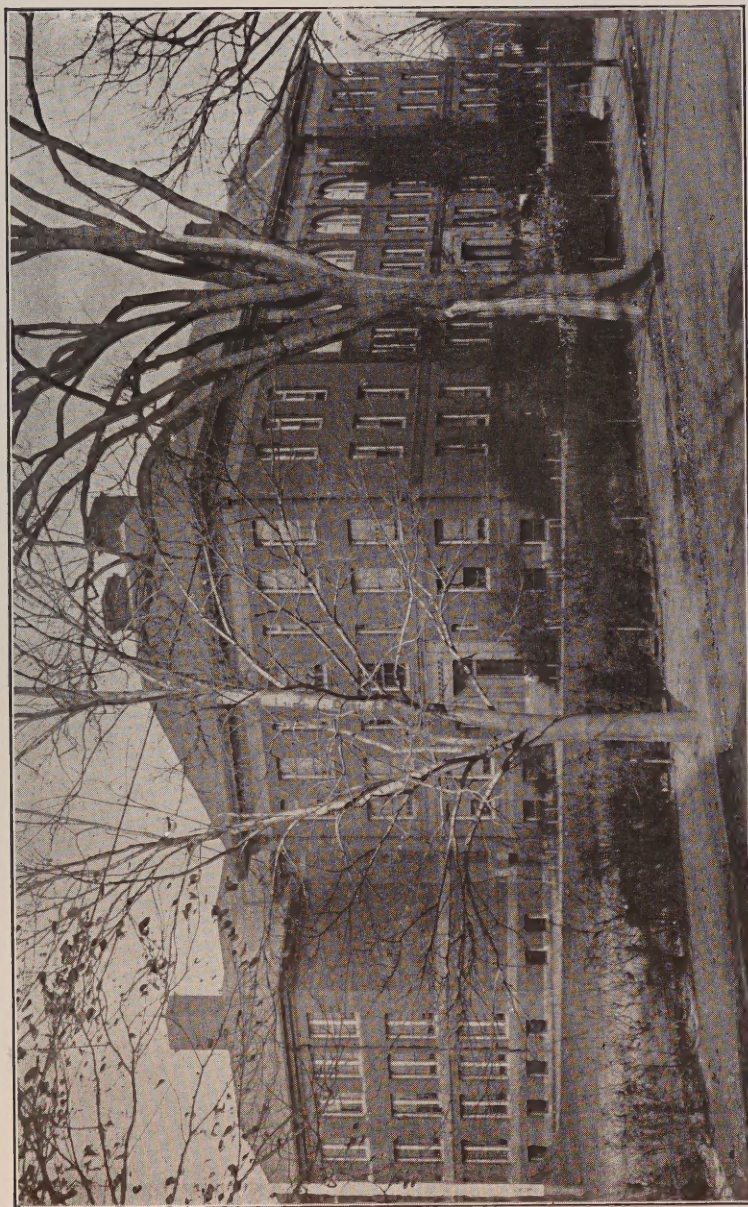
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MEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL







## *Foreword*

**I**N publishing this issue of *The Blue and White* for the class of '24, we have endeavored to put into permanent form many pleasant reminders of the friends we knew and of the events that took place during the few years we spent in Medford High School. We sincerely hope that it will merit the approval of all, and be a source of pride and pleasure in the years to come.

EDITOR.







## *Dedication*

TO MR. J. STEVENS KADESCH

WHOSE earnest efforts in raising the standards of our school, whose wholehearted co-operation in all worthy student activities, whose justice, and whose high ideals have contributed in no small measure to the present high rank which the Medford High School holds, both in scholarship and in athletics, this first issue of *The Blue and White* is respectfully dedicated.





MEDFORD HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY





*Miss Helen F. Lyons*

*Our Faculty Advisor*

AN APPRECIATION

PUBLISHING a year book like the *Blue and White* has been no small task for us, inexperienced as we are in this work. In the future we shall doubtless be called upon to perform even harder tasks, and we shall be fortunate indeed if we have an advisor who is so willing, so friendly, and so unselfish as Miss Lyons has been.





THE BLUE AND WHITE STAFF









President  
LYMAN EUGENE POOLE



Vice President  
KATHERINE STEELE

### *Class Officers*



Treasurer  
JOSEPH M. MURPHY



Secretary  
KATRYN DOROTHY BALL





Essayist  
HAROLD TODD ABBOTT



Valedictorian  
ABBY BLANCHARD

### *Class Parts*



Poet  
LOUISE G. MARSH



Orator  
CHARLES W. WALLS



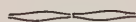


HAROLD MOODY



KATHERINE QUINE

*Class Prophets*



*Class Historian*



JAMES ST. LOUIS





MOSHER

DAVIS

O'KEEFE

WARRINGTON

### HERBERT E. MOSHER

If you ever get in trouble remember that Mosher is our I am shark.

### MELBA BELLE DAVIS

College Club; Dramatic Club. Not the famous singer but a pretty belle.

### AGNES O'KEEFE

Blushes are attractive, even to brunettes.

### RUTH L. WARRINGTON

Few of us know the depth of humor under that quiet reserve.

### STANLEY WALTER MANN

"Stan", Manly Stan, the ladies' man, who kissed a girl behind her fan.

### ABRAHAM RISMAN

"Abe", Track I, II, III, IV. Abe is so clever in French that he didn't ever need to come back afternoons.

### SHEPHARD S. SENTER

"Joe", Dramatic Club; "A Tailor Made Man". Entered school his senior year. He lost no time in winning a "Senter" place. We found him "Sterling".

### WALTER SULLIVAN

"Sully". We'll give him credit for working in our French class, anyway.

MANN

RISMAN

SENDER

SULLIVAN







BONNEY

MacNISH

O'BRIEN

MORANG

#### GEORGE ALBERT BONNEY

"Buck". Dramatic Club. Buck was a "bonny chap", all right.

#### ISABEL MACNISH

"Billie". Member of the high school orchestra. Something unsaid still lingered in her smile!

#### KATHERINE O'BRIEN

"Kay". In business three things are necessary: knowledge, temper, and time. That is why Kay took the business course.

#### ESTHER K. MORANG

"Blondie". We cannot say much about Esther,—she does it all herself.

#### BEULAH MARCY

I wonder what would happen to Beulah if she couldn't ——!

#### J. HOWARD GREENE

"Howie". Not as green as he sounds.

#### SELMA WEISS

"Sel". Selma would be going some if she got a little fatter.

#### CATHERINE MURPHY

The human encyclopedia. She even admits it!

MARCY

GREENE

WEISS

MURPHY





SPROTT

BLACKWOOD

CUSHING

MANFRE

### EDITH HILL SPROTT

College Club. Mingle a little folly with your wisdom.

### MELVILLE BLACKWOOD

Blackwood is quite a fiddler, but he seems to think M. H. S. orchestra too small for him.

### STANLEY CUSHING

"Stan". Stanley's best friend, "Henry Ford" (second-hand ones).

### HUGO MANFRE

"Blackie". Still another athlete from Room 12 on the football squad. He was a friend to everyone.

### DORIS KETCHUM

"Dot". A little of thy merriment makes sparkling light content.

### LILLIAN SCOTT

"Scottie". College Club; Basketball. She who has health has hope; and she who has hope has everything.

### STANLEY CHAPMAN

"Chappie". He kept the chem. lab. spick and span.

### KATHLEENE V. MANLEY

"Kay". "Kay" is an all-round "good-scout". Sweet and unassuming, especially during slumbers

KETCHUM

SCOTT

CHAPMAN

MANLEY







BEARSE

VARDARO

WHITEHEAD

SANFORD

#### FLORENCE BEARSE

"Babe". We all agree that she will make a fine secretary to some nervous business man.

#### VICTOR P. VARDARO

"Vic". He enjoyed jokes—particularly his own.

#### BARBARA WHITEHEAD

"Bab". College Club. "Love me, love my dog."

#### ROSE M. SANFORD

No remark, even about her size, ever ruffled Rose's smile.

#### ELIZABETH H. DERRY

"Betty". College Club; Normal School Club; Dramatic Club; Household Arts Club; Field Hockey; Basketball. Our rising young politician.

#### BEATRICE FRYE

"Bee". So wise, so young.

#### LEONARD SPANGENBERG

From Pennsylvania he came to us. Quiet, but always on the job.

#### AGNES E. SULLIVAN

"Sully". "Sully" is true to type. She likes to quarrel with herself.

DERRY

FRYE

SPANGENBERG

SULLIVAN





BARKER

SMITH

POTTER

BRAWLEY

OLIVE T. BARKER

"Ollie." Her troubles in Room 15 were many.

HELEN G. SMITH

Rather a quiet person—sometimes. Mostly interested in the football squad.

CHAUNCEY C. POTTER

The loudest noise he could make was the clatter of the typewriter.

ISABELLA S. BRAWLEY

"Bella". Helpful and cheerful. She shines in French, but she shines brighter in the lunch room.

S. EVELYN RUGG

Sweet maid, how can we help but like you?

JAMES A. ST. LOUIS

"Louie", "Jimmie". Editor-in-chief of the Year Book; College Club. You know his record. It cannot be beaten. He is responsible for this mess. Go to him with all complaints.

IRENE ROSS

Shows her speed in typing.

THELMA F. JERGUSON

Steady and true. A true friend. Admired by all her classmates.

RUGG

ST. LOUIS

ROSS

JERGUSON







WYMAN

NICKERSON

MONIER

HOLTON

### HELEN ALICIA WYMAN

College Club; Hockey; Basketball. It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all. Her motto is "try, try again."

### ALICE NICKERSON

Natural as any girl could be.

### JOSEPH A. MONIER, JR.

College Club. He knows everything, but cannot always think of it. Watch for the big words!

### HILDA MAY HOLTON

College Club. Brevity is the soul of wit.

### MADELINE L. O'ROURKE

No member of the class was a better patronizer of mirrors.

### MARY KARP

She used to open up the school every morning.

### EDITH A. TOPERZER

"Edy". This young elocutionist has such soulful expression that she makes you feel guilty.

### FLORENCE L. HILLSON

Some one has said, "She is the girl with a perpetual smile."

O'ROURKE

KARP

TOPERZER

HILLSON





SIMPSON

PUFFER

STEEL

CONWAY

### RUTH SIMPSON

"Simp". "Simp" is as quiet as a night before Christmas while in school.

### GERALDINE MEIGS PUFFER

"Jerry". College Club; Hockey. The highest degree of earthly happiness is quietness.

### KATHLEEN STEEL

"Toots". Vice-President. Can she dress sporty? We'll say she can.

### JOSEPHINE V. CONWAY

"Jo". Honestly, every time Jo laughs we jump; it reminds us of—well, never mind. Anyhow, she can't help it. Ida Esner sits near her.

### DORIS CLAUSEN

"Dot". Assistant Business Manager Year Book. No one has anything on Dot. Her record, together with her big words, proves that.

### EDITH LUELLE LOTHROP

"Ede". Still waters run deep.

### CARL SPROUL

"Bird". A brilliant scholar, a very busy person and a "crackerjack" short story writer.

### MARY MARVEL

"Midge". College Club; Dramatic Club. Mary is a marvel, a marvelous, merry mischief-maker is she.

CLAUSEN

LOTHROP

SPROUL

MARVEL







BALL

DELANEY

MATURO

O'LEARY

### KATHRYN D. BALL

"Kay". Secretary of Senior Class; President of College Club '24; Secretary of Dramatic Club '23; Vice-President Dramatic Club '24; "Penrod". Sincerity gives wings to power.

### JOSEPH A. DELANEY

The quiet, steady, plodding kind.

### HELENA M. MATURO

With her sunny disposition she has won her friends.

### HELEN E. O'LEARY

That hat bag was a source of much disturbance in Mr. Leonard's algebra class.

### GRETCHEN CORY

"Gret". College Club; Normal School Club. They build too low, who build beneath the stars.

### LILLIAN M. McMAHON

Willingness was her motto in everything she did.

### AVORA ESTELLA ALBRIGHT

"Vo". College Club. Cheerfulness and good-will make labor light. There is nothing too hard for Avora.

### MARY A. LYNN

"Babe". Outing Club. No noise ever came from her direction.

CORY

McMAHON

ALBRIGHT

LYNN





SIBLEY

RAHICKI

FIERMAN

SHEA

### EUGENE SIBLEY

Transferred from Colby Academy. Most talkative person in Room 12.

### FREDERICK J. RAHICKI

"Freddie". A fellow known by Medford High students as bashful. Is he as bashful as he seems?

### ELI FIERMAN

"Zeke". Football '21, '22, '23. Once a snail saw Zeke—and died of jealousy.

### ALICE CECILIA SHEA

"Al"; "Cheerful company shortens the mile."

### HELENE MURIEL LORD

One of our artists. She wields a mighty pen.

### MARKS MAX FINE

His marks are fine, but we couldn't fine 'em.

### CLINTON BOWEN

"Clint". The boy who makes the electric currents in Physics and blows out the fuses. Isn't it shocking?

### JOHN F. CONWAY

Dramatic Club; Senior Class Play. He has the knowledge of a perfect senior,—so Mr. Irish thinks.

LORD

FINE

BOWEN

CONWAY







HANSOM

GODWIN

JUFFRE

WALLS

### MARGARET HANSOM

A regular girl who is a friend to everyone.

### LESTER ROY GODWIN

"Les". Track '20, '24; debating team '23; He never puts off anything 'til to-morrow; he puts it off 'til the day after to-morrow.

### JOSEPH JUFFRE

"Joe". The comedian of Room 12. A sociable young personage with the weaker sex. Also a quick-witted one when it comes to making an excuse for unprepared assignments.

### CHARLES W. WALLS

"Chilie". Track squad III, IV; Debating team III, IV. One of the best fellows we knew and also one of the best debaters.

### EDWARD JAMES CUNNINGHAM

"Ed". Football Team III, IV; College Club II, III, IV; Glee Club; Dramatic Club; Senior Play; Dramatic Club Play; Alumni Editor of M. H. S. "Review" '23, '24; Sporting Editor of M. H. S. Year Book; Chairman of Senior Dance Committee. We wonder if "Ed" will be able to skip periods in college with his old time M. H. S. skill.

### RAYMOND WHITE

He was certified in French anyway—something's wrong!

### JOHN DIGNAN

"Digy". When will John get those elongated trousers?

### WILLIAM R. PRIESTLEY

"Bill". We wonder what Miss Sherburne will do without him?

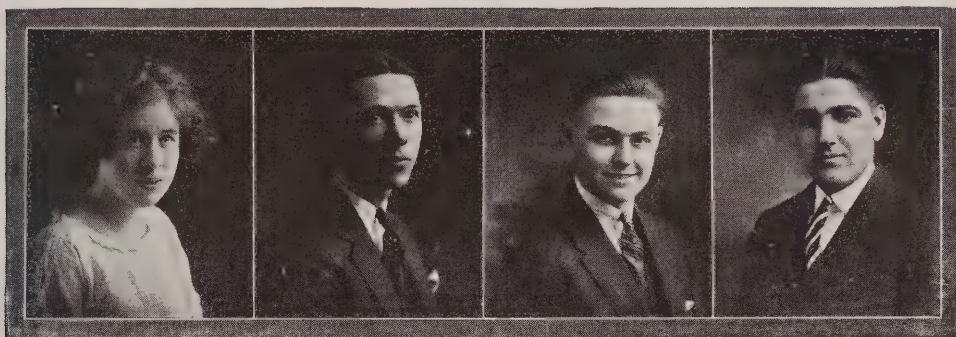
CUNNINGHAM

WHITE

DIGNAN

PRIESTLY





CONLAN

PARSHLEY

PHELPS

MAURETTE

### HILDA E. CONLAN

Normal School Club. She couldn't stop talking in Room 12. We're afraid she won't until —.

### FREDERICK PARSHLEY

"Fred". Track Team II, III, IV. When will you begin to hurdle physics, Fred?

### WALTER PHELPS

"Wal". Glee Club; Assistant Business Manager of "Review"; Dramatic Club. What will the Glee club do without Walter?

### GERALD MAURETTE

"Gebber". Football III, IV. Wherever there's trouble there's "Gebber."

### SIGRID I. RIIS

"Sigy". Her hearty laugh was as evident as her good nature.

### HELEN KELLEY

"Helen". College Club; Normal School Club; Dramatic Club; Basketball; Field Hockey. We surely will miss those brilliant hair ribbons.

### SELMA JOHNSON

Is very studious and makes everyone's work pleasant.

### CHARLOTTE CAMPBELL

"Lotta". College Club. Charlotte is our autograph book artist.

RIIS

KELLEY

JOHNSON

CAMPBELL







RIAN

DWORZECHE

LEZZETTE

MORRISSEY

#### CLINTON RIAN

"Clint". Dramatic Club; College Club.  
A thug Mr. Carey sought one day,  
And soon we saw "Clint" in the Senior  
Play.

#### EDNA M. DWORZECHE

"Ed". Life to her is a sunny path, help-  
ing others along the way.

#### ARTHUR LEZZETTE

"Art". Track '23, '24. He managed to  
stay in school!

#### G. ARTHUR MORRISSEY

"Jit". When it comes to humor, G.  
Arthur has it all over O. Henry.

#### C. GRACE QUINN

"Gracie". Gracie wants to be a stenog-  
rapher, but perhaps we shall hear of her  
as an accomplished musician.

#### ALTHEA WEAR

"Al". Household Arts Club; Normal School  
Club. We know that she will "Wear"  
well.

#### ALICE L. TEWKSURY

"Tewky". Lucky be the man who gets  
Alice! She's secretary of the Household  
Management Club, which teaches how to  
manage a household, including husband and  
all.

#### KATHERINE Q. QUINE

"Kay". College Club; Dramatic Club; Sec-  
retary of Junior Class; Captain M. H. S.  
Varsity Basketball; Field Hockey. Popular  
"Kay", a leader among us.

QUINN

WEAR

TEWKSURY

QUINE





RISMAN

ESNER

PASQUALE

SHAW

### LOUIS RISMAN

"Louie". He knows his French by rule.

### IDA R. ESNER

"Hick". Future orator. Only source of noise in Room 16.

### EDITH EVELYN PASQUALE

Better late than never.

### ALICE SHAW

This young lady's so bright the rest of us have to carry sunshades for fear her rays will pierce.

### DAVID SIDNEY IZEN

"Murphy". Played the fiddle at the various club dances in the gym. He never opened his mouth but he put his bow on it.

### ALICE E. LEONARD

Where did she get the recipe for excuses?

### PAUL ROCKWELL MORRILL

"Publius". "Review" agent '22, '23; College Club; Dramatic Club; Biography Committee for Year Book; Author of the book on "Good Morrills".

### WINONA L. WILLIS

"Winnie". Never boisterous, but always laughing.

IZEN

LEONARD

MORRILL

WILLIS







FURLONG

GURNEY

LACEY

LEWIS

### SUSAN R. FURLONG

So many times thought to be a member of the faculty. How complimentary!!

### WILLIAM JAMES GURNEY

"Gump"; Football; Dramatic Club. We dinna ken what Miss Smith 'll do now James has gone.

### HELEN M. LACEY

Helen is the most studious person,—rather.

### ELECTA M. LEWIS

"Lecta"; Household Arts Club; Glee Club;; "Pocohontas". But to see her is to love her.

### FREDERICK J. FLUKES

"Flukey"; not as "flukey" as his name denotes. A good all-round fellow.

### WALTER HOWELL

"Deacon"; Football; Baseball; Track; Dramatics; Basketball. How well Howell Howls!

### ANGELO MAIETTA

He joined our ranks during the senior year.

### JOHN SANDS

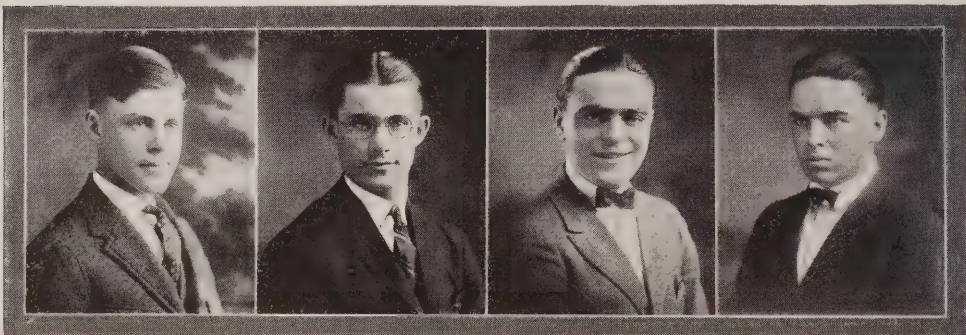
"Johnny". John may quiet, but silence is golden.

FLUKES

HOWELL

MAIETTA

SANDS





JOHNSON

RIERDON

MILLER

HUCKINS

### ANNA LEONIE JOHNSON

Anna's time is filled with good times. So we hear.

### WALTER P. RIERDON

"Walt". Track I, II, III, IV. He made great strides in M. H. S. (mostly in the Gym).

### RAYMOND WILLIAM MILLER

"Ray". Cheer Leader '23; Contribution Agent for Boy Scout Drive; Boy's Gym; Class Year Book Committee. When Ray led the cheers he looked like a man with paralysis doing his daily dozen.

### WILLIAM HUCKINS

Our star geography student. Where are the Balkan Mountains?

### BERNICE SPIDELL

"Bunny". Anyone can recognize her. The girl with the smiling face.

### HELEN LUCY COBURN

College Club. Continual cheerfulness is a sign of wisdom.

### GEORGE LEWIS HODGKINS

"Lou". The class cartoonist, by George. "His pencil was striking, resistless, and grand". "Lou" is somewhat of a jumper, too. May he soar higher in the future.

### ROMEO TREBINO

Baseball squad. A potential business man, if devotion to duty counts for anything.

SPIDELL

COBURN

HODGKINS

TREBINO







DODGE

ABBOTT

BLANCHARD

MILWARD

### MILDRED DODGE

"Dodge". Our question mark. What a lawyer she would make!

### HAROLD TODD ABBOTT

"Hal". Editor of "Review" '24; Assistant Exchange Editor '23; Treasurer College Club '24; Class Essayist.

"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,  
That one small head could carry all he knew."

### ABBY DOROTHY BLANCHARD

"Ab". Orchestra; College Club; "Review" staff; Year Book staff; Valedictorian. "Wisdom is more to be envied than great riches."

### HELEN MILWARD

Placid waters reflect beauty most clearly.

### RALPH DIAMOND

Not the jeweler, but a hard worker just the same.

### GRACE L. McNULTY

College Club; Field Hockey; Captain of Basketball, Junior Year. True to her name, her grace is as evident as her record in all classes.

### VERA LENZI

"V". Our class imp and artist. Quite as impish as any girl could be.

### AMANDO L. APPIANI

"Appy". Basketball Captain IV; Baseball; Football; Senior Play. A fast runner,—when chasing the girls.

DIAMOND

McNULTY

LENZI

APPIANI





SULLIVAN

MacCLELLAN

MAXFIELD

MATHEWS

### KATHERINE SULLIVAN

"Kay". Although Katherine isn't a bashful girl, she certainly is shy.

### MARJORIE MACCLELLAN

"Mac". We can't say much about Marjorie; she does all the talking herself.

"Oh! There was a little girl,  
And she had a little curl ———,"  
But I refuse to go on, Marjorie.

### THELMA D. MAXFIELD

I wonder what the "D" stands for, Thelma. However, even if you do tell it, it can't make you any nicer. It's a very good thing we had a few like you in Room 16.

### FRANCES ROSE MATHEWS

"Frannie"; Dramatic Club; Treasurer of Glee Club. Where there's music there can be no harm.

### FRANCIS E. TRACEY

He could scarcely be seen; never heard.

### WILLIAMINA V. MACBRAYNE

"Mina". A vey clever girl is Mina. Always on the honor roll.

### GORDON MALONEY

"Mal". Wherever there are girls, look for "Mal".

### EDYTHE E. PETERSON

If Edythe ever decides to let her bobbed tresses grow, the looking-glass industry will go out of business.

TRACEY

MacBRAYNE

MALONEY

PETERSON







POOLE

GOWDY

MOORE

MITCHELL

### LYNN EUGENE POOLE

"Gene". President of Senior Class '24; Captain of Debating Team '23; Orchestra '23, '24; Glee Club '24; Senior Play; Executive Committee '24; Dramatic Club '24. No one will forget this genial Gene. Our President so lank and lean.

### GRACE G. GOWDY

"Gracious". Golly! Gosh! Gracious! Is this some new sorority, like the K. K. K.? I say, rather suspicious.

### HARRINGTON MOORE

"Hank". Football I, II, III, IV; Baseball III; Track I, II, III; Captain IV; Chairman executive staff Year Book. Mercury with the winged feet has nothing on Hank when he is running for M. H. S.

### CLARA M. MITCHELL

Dramatic Club; Glee Club. Clara is as big in heart as she is small in body.

### DOROTHY HEYWORTH

"Dot". Glee Club pianist. Contentment is the wisdom of the wise.

### MARION COLEMAN

"Sis". And she came in with a Sis-boom-bah! She always liked a lot of noise.

### HENRY CENTER

"Monty". "Monty" is the center of most agitation in 17.

### THELMA CLAIRE HERSEY

"Femmie"; College Club; Dramatic Club. Don't Stop, Look, or Listen, boys; it's Thelma.

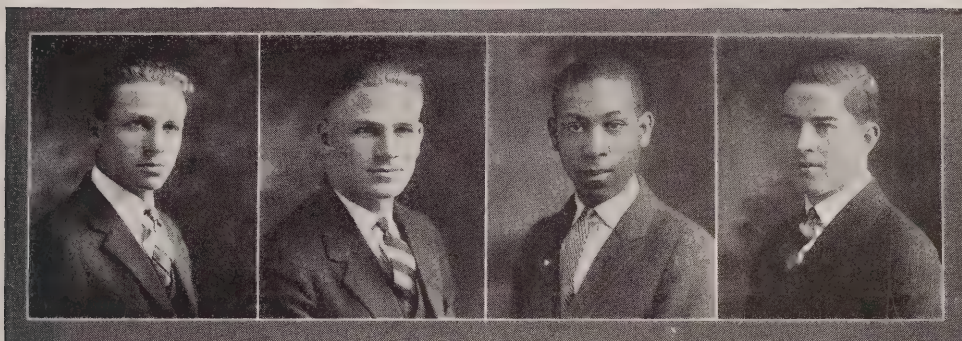
HEYWORTH

COLEMAN

CENTER

HERSEY





MOODY

LEARY

ROBINSON

COCHRAN

### J. HAROLD MOODY

Track I, II, III, IV; Dramatic Club President. His ideals are as high as his jumps.

### WILLIAM F. LEARY

"Bill". Football I, II, III, IV; Captain III; Baseball I, II, III, IV; Basketball III, IV; Class President III; "Penrod". The echoes of Bill's hearty laugh will live forever on the second floor of M. H. S.

### THEODORE P. ROBINSON

"Ted". A fellow similar to a merry-go-round; he goes but he never gets anywhere.

### CHARLES COCHRAN

Why so quiet, Charlie?

### BERNARD Q. GREEN

"Bud". No bud in business, we understand,—a full blossom.

### CHARLES JOSEPH CATHCART

"Charlie". We wonder if he will always make as much dough as he does now.

### KATHRYN MILLER

Her height belies her skill in shorthand.

### HELEN SAMPSON

"Nellie". Come and trip it as you go, on the light and jazzy toe. Oh Nellie!

GREEN

CATHCART

MILLER

SAMPSON







JACKSON

KENNY

LETSON

TURNER

### HILMA JACKSON

"Hickey". A sight to dream of—not to tell.

### JOSEPH WILLIAM KENNY

"Joe". Dramatic Club; College Club. Kenny? I'll say he ken.

### EDITH L. LETSON

Of a talkative nature—especially during study periods. She'd talk the ear off a chattering monkey.

### MILTON TURNER

"Review". The best business man in the class.

### EDMUND A. PACKARD

"Ed". Not the maker of the Packard car. He has lots to tell but not much to say.

### DOROTHY GAFFNEY

"Dot". Dramatic Club; Field Hockey; Basketball. Where will Dot get her naps, now that school is over?

### HAZEL E. RICHINGS

Her helpful spirit was shown by the number of stamps she "licked" in the office.

### GEORGE BERNARD SENNOTT

"Mack". Always on the job making up nick-names.

PACKARD

GAFFNEY

RICHINGS

SENNOTT





BENNETT

ANDERSON

BOYINGTON

PHELAN

**RALPH S. BENNETT**

He likes to take a weight off his feet,—  
always rides.

**ARTHUR ANDERSON**

"Andy". Dramatic Club. When Valentino  
saw Andy's hair-cut, he stopped displaying  
his.

**EDWARD S. BOYINGTON**

We knew him for his silence.

**RICHARD PHELAN**

"Dick". Baseball I, II, Captain III, IV.  
Football II, III, IV. How we shall miss  
his drop kicks, also his smiles!

**CLEMENTINE ROMANSHYN**

Depth is part of quietness.

**PEARL M. CAFRELLA**

College Club. What secret delight a quiet  
person affords!

**MARGARET M. GRIFFIN**

"Peg". She smiles her way through and  
makes true friends.

**DORIS LITCHFIELD**

A sweet personality minus rascality.

ROMANSHYN

CAFRELLA

GRIFFIN

LITCHFIELD







HOGAN

SURABIAN

PURINGTON

BOWMAN

### JOHN J. HOGAN

"Long John". Track III, IV. He has no shortcomings.

### ORA G. SURABIAN

Hero of the "Surabian Nights."

### MURIEL PURINGTON

College Club. We hope that stiff collar has ceased to scratch your neck.

### PETER JOSEPH BOWMAN

"Peat". Waiting is his long suit.

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### JOSEPH MURPHY

"Joe". Football II, III, IV, Captain; Baseball III, IV; Treasurer of Senior Class. Will we ever forget his spectacular sixty-yard run on Thanksgiving Day?

### JENNIE CALIRI

The quiet, helpful kind we all like.

### MARY SARMANIAN

If all your smiles were gold you'd have wealth untold.

### PAUL H. WELCH

Calm ever. Not even an explosion would change his equilibrium.

MURPHY

CALIRI

SARMANIAN

WELCH





WHITE

HOWE

DOWD

PARSHLEY

### DOROTHY E. WHITE

"Dot". President of Household Management Club; Hockey; Basketball; "Penrod"; Dramatic Club; "Turn to the Right"; Outing Club. Her usual greeting is a pleasing smile, and a cheery word.

### HUMPHREY BARRETT HOWE

"Hump". Football III, IV; Manager of Track IV; Glee Club; Dramatic Club. Hump adds considerable weight wherever he is.

### HELEN DOWD

Orchestra. The girl with a smile who always struck the right note—even at rehearsals.

### HILDA PARSHLEY

"Pills". Vice-President of Junior Class; College Club. Friendship is the perfection of love. So is fudge.

### ELSIE STUART CLARK

"Skeezix". College Club; Basket-ball. There is no wisdom like frankness. Math shark.

### THEODORE FRANCIS DUNN

"Ted". Whatever Dunn has done, has been done well.

### FRANK MARSHALL

"Hank". We wonder where he got the French drag.

### FLORENCE CLEMMER

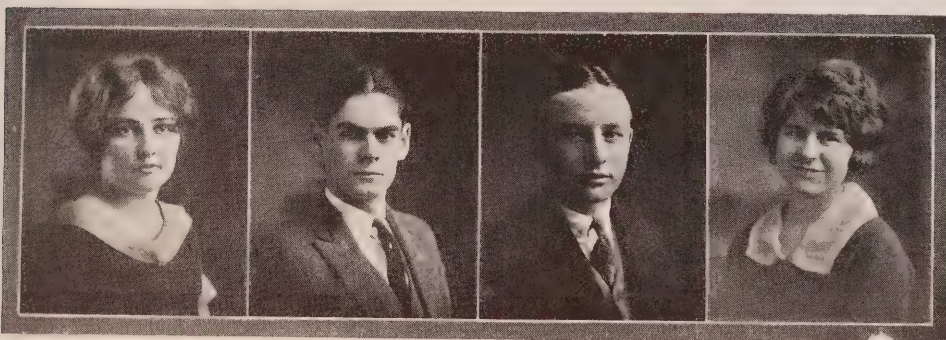
"Scottie". College Club; Dramatic Club; Normal School Club. Our cheerful cherub—expresses our esteem.

CLARK

DUNN

MARSHALL

CLEMMER







HORMEL

GREENLEAF

BARTON

LINNANE

#### HENRY D. HORMEL

"Hennie". Dramatic Club; Senior Play; College Club; Baseball III; Track I, II, III, IV; Football Manager IV. Good things come in small parcels.

#### RUTH EMILY GREENLEAF

"Regs". Glee Club; Household Management Club. A charming maid who always has a smile.

#### BERNICE BARTON

Short and snappy!

#### MARGARET LINNANE

"Peg". A tender heart, a will so flexible.

#### ROBERT CARDER

"Bob". College Club. A great asset to the Physics department. A radio fan and a Math. shark.

#### HELEN R. TERZIAN

She can write shorthand and er—perhaps, er,—read it.

#### BARBARA MYRNE HOWARD

"Myrnie". Some day Myrne will forget herself and get to school early; and something will happen!

#### IRENE WATERBURY

"Bobby". College Club; Dramatic Club; "Penrod"; Glee Club. A light heart lives long.

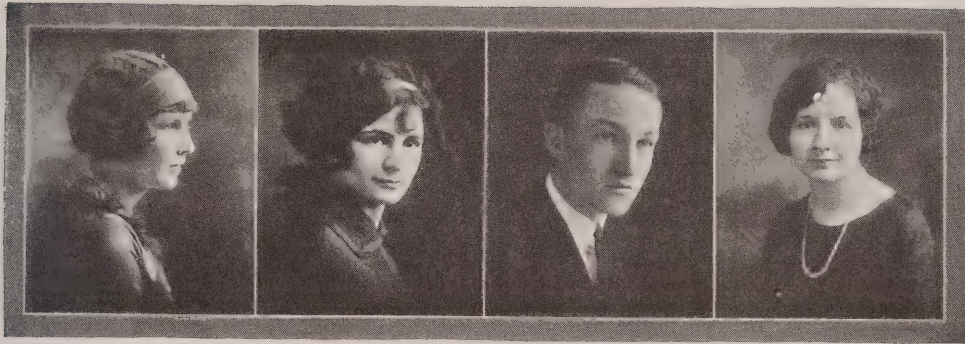
CARDER

TERZIAN

HOWARD

WATERBURY





SIMONSON

COPELMAN

DUFFY

BENNETT

### MURIEL SIMONSON

"Mac". College Club; Dramatic Club; Senior Class Play; "Penrod". Mac will always be "the leading lady."

### EDITH COPPELMAN

"Eddie". Edie has set the school record for getting to school in the morning. Edie believes the early pupil gets the home work done.

### GEORGE R. DUFFY

"Dick". Not as a sport writer but as an engineer will his name appear.

### MARJORIE GLYNNE BENNETT

"Peg". College Club; Year Book Staff; Dramatic Club. A voice soft, gentle, and low is an excellent thing in a woman.

### MILDRED P. CALLAHAN

"Milly". A simple and sweet girl with a fine disposition. A great stenographer for the future.

### ALICE M. ZARELLA

Now, boys, don't all jump at once. Here's a remarkable girl—she loves to sew, cook, and wash dishes.

### CHARLES NICHOLS

"Tiddles". Football; Baseball; Manager Basketball '23. He couldn't keep away from M. H. S. What brought him back? His studies or football?

### GLADYS M. PYNN

"Glad". "Jollity" seems to be Glad's unflinching characteristic. She seems very fond of talking, especially after five minutes to eight.

CALLAHAN

ZARELLA

NICHOLS

PYNN







HOWARD

RAE

SAWYER

MARSHALL

### ELIZABETH ANNE HOWARD

"Poco"; "Irish". Glee Club; "Pocohontas". Sweet and young, she laughed and danced and talked and sung.

### EVELYN MAUDE RAE

"Eve". President Outing Club. Our story writer whose unselfish spirit was ever ready to help.

### PEARL M. SAWYER

A shy little maiden of charming mien.

### ERNEST LEROY MARSHALL

"Bevo". Football III, IV. Our cheer now goes, "with a Bevo", instead of "with a veevo".

### RUTH AUSTIN

"Ruthie". College Club. We wonder if you will always be the Physics student you are now.

### RICHARD M. McCUSKER

"Dick". He'll argue about any old thing. Won an argument once.

### JAMES WALLACE

"Bozo". Exchange editor in M. H. S. "Review" staff; Dramatic Club; College Club. A fellow who can take the part of a villain like a genius.

### LEO J. McHUGH

"Mac". Look for a crowd of girls. There will you find this "Dude".

AUSTIN

McCUSKER

WALLACE

McHUGH





TATTON

SILVERMAN

ROCKWELL

LITCHFIELD

### GERALD R. TATTON

"Jerry". Track II, III, IV. Not a needle worker, but a high jumper.

### FRANCES SILVERMAN

Young "Frankie" would make a well-formed question mark? Her "whys" and "wherefore's" rest reposingly on the tip of her tongue ???

### DOROTHY D. ROCKWELL

"Dot". A persistent believer in all new fads.

### ALVAN LITCHFIELD

"Al". We take our hat off to him. He's the best bluffer we've seen yet.

### GRACE L. UANNA

"Gracious". All that the name implies. She is also a devoted worker in that admirable work, "The Medcom."

### CHARLOTTE BALL

"Lottie". She has a smile for all who meet her, and the most adorable giggle.

### MARY BLAKELY

Her motto: "Variety is the spice of life."

### FREDERICK THOMAS CUMMINGS

"Fred". Track II, III, IV. He is a good letter collector. We mean in town.

UANNA

BALL

BLAKELY

CUMMINGS







HANSEN

SHENK

GRADY

ROBBINS

### LILLIAN EVANGELINE HANSEN

"Lil". College Club; "Review" staff; Dramatic Club. It is a mark of wisdom to dislike folly.

### PAULINE J. SHENK

"Polly". "Cupid". College Club; Basketball; Hockey; Varsity Team. A very fine leader was "Polly". But that's not all; she's also a good sport.

### FRANCIS G. GRADY

The fellow we liked to have with us.

### THELMA ROBBINS

College Club. No robins were ever more welcome than Thelma.

### GLADYS M. ALLISON

Smiling and cheerful through all of her school career.

### EVELYN WHITE

"Eve". Sober, steadfast, and demure.

### CORNELIUS F. STEWART

"Ninnie". Track II, III, IV. The best engines make the least noise. That's why Ninnie's so quiet.

### LORETTA DOYLE

A future expert in stenography.

ALLISON

WHITE

STEWART

DOYLE





PALUMBO

ROSEN

DANIELS

GURNEY

### MARY PALUMBO

Mother calls me Mary,  
Father does the same;  
But the girls down here at high school  
Think that "Shrimpie" is my name.

### RUTH A. ROSEN

Young, ambitious; wants to be an author.

### MARY L. DANIELS

College Club; Normal Club. Silence is  
golden. So is Mary.

### HUBERT ALEXANDER GURNEY

If you want a real worker, call on Hubert.  
His smile and ready spirit are always evident.

### HENRY S. CONDON

"Harry". He likes to laugh at his own  
jokes. He likes good things to eat, also.

### HAROLD CARPENTER FOSTER

"Hal". Satisfaction is half the battle.

### WINIFRED MAUD SODERLUND

"Soddy". Glee Club. Simplicity is a  
jewel rarely found.

### GLADYS FITZGERALD

"Fitzie". The vamp of Medford High.

CONDON

FOSTER

SODERLUND

FITZGERALD







FISKE

COSTELLO

BAPTISTE

MARSH

### ELEANOR FISKE

"Snora". Basketball. Always smiling, like sunshine in the early morning.

### JOSEPH M. COSTELLO

"The Sheik". Give him a book and watch him crawl. In other words, quite a bookworm.

### ALFRED BAPTISTE

"Al". Football II, III, IV; Manager Basketball IV. No one will ever kick on Al's hat bill.

### LOUISE GARDNER MARSH

"Weezy". College Club; Dramatic Club; Orchestra. A merry heart doeth good like medicine. Even a mouse doesn't trouble her.

### DORIS BURNHAM

"Red". "Red is love's color," said the wooer to his foxy charmer.

### MICHAEL FRANK NIGRO

"Mike, the flute player". Trumpeter in orchestra; Cheer Leader '23; Dramatic Club; College Club. Always in Dutch.

### PRISCILLA E. FROST

"Pinkie". Senior Class Play. Cheerfulness will always be her watchword.

### EDWARD JAMES MORTON

"Bozo". Our Eddie was captain of the baseball team this year. Football also claimed him. His homeroom teacher just loves him (?); he's so funny with his remarks. "A Morton at 8 A. M. is worth two when you don't see him."

BURNHAM

NIGRO

FROST

MORTON





EMERSON

HOWES

STEWARD

MacISAAC

### GEORGE V. D. EMERSON

Joined our ranks during senior year. We were glad to have him.

### WALTER F. STEWARD

He and White put the rest of the French class to shame.

### BRADLEY P. HOWES

"Brad", Football III, IV; Junior class treasurer; Track IV; College Club; Dramatic Club. Brad knows his own mind, "anyway."

### FRANCIS MAC ISAAC

"Mac". He has a wee bit of Scotch in him.

### DONALD DEWITT MOATS

"Donny", Assistant Business Manager for "Review" '21; College Club. This little rascal is always up to some kind of mischief.

MOATS







# WHEN WE



# ARE GONE





MILTON H. TURNER



CHARLES OLSON



RALPH KENDALL

### *Our Business Managers*

WE are very grateful to Mr. Kendall and Mr. Olson, our faculty business managers, and to Milton Turner, the staff business manager, for the responsibility they assumed in attending to the financial end of this enterprise. They were largely responsible for the success of *The Blue and White*.





SENIOR CLASS PLAY

## *Turn to the Right*

### THE CAST

ISADORE.....	ARMANDO L. APPIANI
JOE BASCOM (Pete Turner).....	EUGENE L. POOLE
MUGGS.....	HENRY D. HORMEL
GILLY.....	CLINTON F. RIAN
MOSES.....	JOHN CONWAY
BETTY BASCOM.....	KATHRYN D. BALL
JESSIE STRONG.....	PRISCILLA E. FROST
MRS. BASCOM.....	DOROTHY E. WHITE
SAM MARTIN.....	HUMPHREY B. HOWE
DEACON TILLINGER.....	J. HAROLD MOODY
LESTER MORGAN.....	JAMES H. WALLACE, JR.
ELSIE TILLINGER.....	MURIEL SIMONSON
TOM CALLAHAN.....	EDWARD J. CUNNINGHAM
KATIE.....	DOROTHY E. HEYWORTH

### SYNOPSIS

PROLOGUE—In a Pawn Shop. (Early morning.)

ACT I—In Mrs. Bascom's kitchen. (That evening.)

ACT II—Outside Mrs. Bascom's kitchen. (Next morning.)

ACT III—Same as Act II. (Ten months later.)



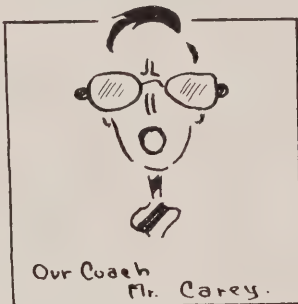
# SENIOR PLAY



JOE'S RETURN HOME WAS THE REASON FOR THE  
APPEARANCE OF NOT A FEW HANDKERCHIEFS



KIND OF TOUGH ON  
GILLY.





SAM MARTIN WAS THE COMEDIAN  
OF THE PLAY (HUMPHREY HOWE)



HENRY HORMEL WAS SOME  
APPETITE



Hodgkins

 CLUBS 







## *The Orchestra*

The Orchestra, under the leadership of Frank S. Gilkey, met every Thursday afternoon for rehearsal. Under Mr. Gilkey's direction, the orchestra played at assemblies, also at any other school affairs where an orchestra was required.

The Orchestra consisted of the following:

Ruth Nason '25.....	First Violin
Norma Erd '26.....	First Violin
Helen Dowd '24.....	First Violin
John O'Connell '26.....	First Violin
Roy Baker '25.....	First Violin
Victor Scoppettuolo '25.....	First Violin
Marion Gianniny '26.....	Second Violin
Marion Barrows '26.....	Second Violin
Louise Marsh '24.....	'Cello
Grace Wells '25.....	'Cello
Michael Nigro '24.....	Trumpet
Eugene Poole '24.....	Trumpet
Reginald Cromwell '25.....	Trumpet
Isabel MacNish '24.....	Clarinet
Mr. Gilkey.....	Flute
Abbey Blanchard '24.....	Accompanist



## *Glee Clubs*

FOR three years the Glee Clubs have been under the capable direction of Miss Porter. Through this organization some of the pupils have been enabled to show their ability. These clubs assisted in the exercises at the graduation, also in some of the entertainments given by the school.

The Glee Clubs attained their greatest success in the presentation of the operetta, "Pocahontas", which was given in the spring of 1923. With the money obtained from this, they gave a victrola to the school.

The cantata given at graduation was much appreciated.

The clubs had separate executive boards. The officers for 1924 are as follows:

### BOYS CLUB

President—HUMPHREY HOWE '24

Vice President—DONALD WOODS '25

Secretary and Treasurer—RUSSELL LE BOSQUET '26

### GIRLS CLUB

President—ELECTA LEWIS '24

Vice President—FLORENCE WESTON '25

Secretary—KATHERINE TISDALE, '25

Treasurer—FRANCES MATTHEWS '24

## *The College Club*

THE College Club is an organization of upper class men who pursue the studies in the college course. In order to become a member of the College Club one must have an average rank of B. This is for the purpose of inducing students to do a high grade of work. The club was started by Mr. Gilkey for the purpose of assembling these young people and giving them entertainments which were educational, as well as enjoyable. Singing, reading, lecturing, and instrumental music were a few different types, enjoyed at the meetings.

### OFFICERS OF 1924

President—KATHRYN BALL

Vice President—A. DONALD SMITH

Secretary—MURIEL SIMONSON

Treasurer—HAROLD ABBOTT



## *The Dramatic Club*

THE dramatic ability of the class of '24 will not soon be forgotten. Dramatic Club members furnished the school from time to time with unsurpassable entertainments in the form of short plays, pageants, tableaux, and selections by individual members. From the time of their first appearance when but juniors and beginners in the art, in the play, "Penrod", the class of '24 gave promise of the clever performances that followed.

Before a Parent-Teachers Conference the one-act social satire, "Sham", was presented. The pupils all gave excellent interpretations of their parts.

A Thanksgiving pageant and patriotic tableaux, in which the Senior Class was aided by the Junior Class, proved to be something new and effective.

"Turn to the Right", the class play, showed the Seniors at their best.

President—HAROLD MOODY

Vice-President—KATHRYN BALL

Secretary-Treasurer—EDITH MCCARTHY

## *Normal School Club*

ALL members of this club intended to go to a normal school or were, at least, interested in the work. Different schools are studied. Each one chose a school and then prepared for its requirements. Each year the club visited a Normal School. In 1923 the club went to Bridgewater; in 1924, to Salem Normal.

The officers for the year:

President—GERALDINE HUTCHINSON '26

Vice-President—MARY DANIELS '24

Secretary—ALICE LENNON '26

Treasurer—BETTY DENY '24

Chairman of Social Committee—GRETCHEN CORY '24

The club accomplished a great deal during the year with the assistance of Miss Field and Miss Sherburne.



## *The Outing Club*

THE Outing Club was organized in the fall of 1922 by Miss Collett and Mr. Olson. The purpose of this club is to create fun out-of-doors. Numerous skiing, skating, snowshoeing, and tobogganning parties were enjoyed by the members during the winter of 1922-1923. Many good times were enjoyed by the club members, among them a Hare and Hound Chase, which began this year's activities. Two weeks later a Doughnut and Cider Hunt was held. This was followed by one or two skating parties, at which "hot dogs" were served.

The first indoor party given took the form of a Valentine Dance, held Friday, February 8, 1924. On April 24 a rally was held for the purpose of gaining new members.

The club meets for its outings the second and fourth Thursdays of every month. A Hare and Hound Chase was held on Thursday, May 8th.

The Executive officers of the club are as follows:

President—EVELYN RAE  
Vice-President—OLIVE ANDERSON  
Secretary—EDITH PALMER  
Treasurer—DOROTHY RUGG

## *Household Arts Club*

THE meetings of this club began late in the year owing to the difficulties in finding a vacant room. The aim of this club was to talk on important subjects of interest, have a good time, and also do something for someone else. Miss Baker was the originator and advisor of this club.

During the month of December, the club met every Monday and made some very attractive Christmas gifts.

When the Senior Play was presented, the club made the candy and sold it. One-third of the money obtained from selling this candy was given to the Senior Class. The other two-thirds was kept by the club for services rendered.

Our president, Miss Dorothy White, presented a curtain to the school, which will be used for plays and operettas.

Members of this club voted to spend one afternoon sewing on equipment for the Lawrence Memorial Hospital.

One month was spent rehearsing the play "High School Clothes Line", which was produced in May. The leading parts were played by Misses White Goudy, Lord, Regan, and Willis. The Normal School Club was invited as our guests.

On January 22 this club was invited by the Normal School Club to hear Mr. Wright, Deputy Commissioner of Education, lecture. The lecture was very interesting.

March 17 the club had a St. Patrick's Day Social, which everyone enjoyed.

The officers elected for the year 1924 were as follows:

President—DOROTHY WHITE

Vice-President—MURIEL LORD

Secretary—ALICE TEWKSBURY

Treasurer—ELECTA LEWIS

Chairman of Social Committee—HELEN SAMPSON



# The College Club Picnic

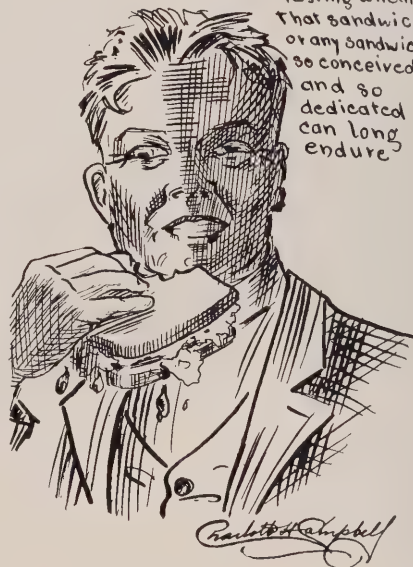
Mr Gilkey  
enjoys the  
sea shore.



Mac thought the  
ocean wasn't  
deep enough!



Testing whether  
that sandwich  
or any sandwich  
so conceived  
and so  
dedicated  
can long  
endure



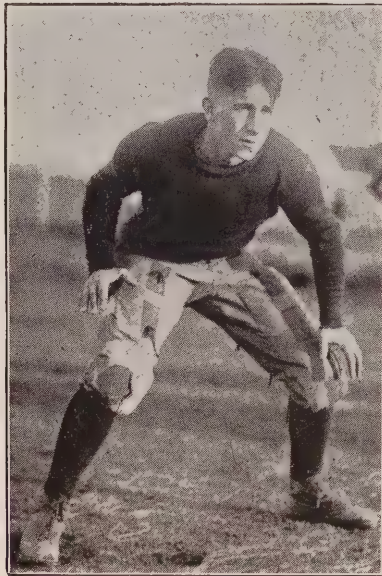
# SPORTS







JAMES E. MANSFIELD  
Coach



JOSEPH MURPHY  
Captain Football Team





FOOTBALL SQUAD

## *The Champions*

THE Champions of New England is the name by which the football team of 1923 will be remembered. The team had slowly developed from 1921 till 1923. Coach Mansfield had an eleven comprised mostly of Seniors, capable of defeating the best high school in New England.

The trip to Washington after the post season game with Norwood was proof that the coach, Mr. Sampson, Mr. Kendall, Mr. Kadesch, Mr. Brooks, and the School Committee thought that the players deserved a reward for their work.

Just before the team left for Washington on the midnight train, a banquet was given to the squad by the Elks. B. B. Osthues, Postmaster, had charge of the affair, which was as successful as everything which he undertakes. At the banquet, the gold footballs were presented to sixteen players; namely, Murphy, Leary, Moore, Howell, Ellis, Fierman, Babbiste, Nichols, Howe, Phelan, Mander, Cunningham, Howes, Gurney, Marshall, Maurette; also to Mr. Mansfield, Mr. Sampson, James Carr, the trainer, and Hormel, the manager. The other members of the squad were presented fountain pens.

The team, although it lost the Brockton game and tied with Brookline, showed by its other performances that there should be no doubt of its superiority over the other high school elevens.

Mr. Mansfield, aided by the track coach, Mr. Sampson, coached the squad. There is not a player who will not remember these two coaches for their fine ideals of sportsmanship. Joe Murphy, the captain, had much to do with the pep of the team. He crowned a year of excellent work by getting the only touchdown in the Malden game by a 65-yard run.

The scores of the games:

Medford.....	16	Lynn Gen. Elec. H. S.....	6
Medford.....	7	Brockton .....	10
Medford.....	10	St. John's Prep.....	6
Medford.....	18	Somerville .....	0
Medford.....	3	Brookline .....	3
Medford.....	16	Rindge .....	0
Medford.....	10	Everett .....	0
Medford.....	10	Newton .....	3
Medford.....	28	Cambridge .....	0
Medford.....	7	Malden .....	0
Medford.....	34	Norwood .....	0
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Medford.....	159		28





STATE CHAMPIONS, 1923

Joe Murphy, playing at right tackle, did a good job all season on the offensive and defensive. He was selected by several newspaper sport writers for an all-scholastic berth at that position. His wonderful run in the Malden game will always be remembered as the most brilliant individual work of the year. Medford was lucky in having Joe for leader.

Bill Leary, Medford's fullback for three years, played a better game than ever. He proved himself one of the best fullbacks of the state in the Norwood game when he outplayed the much-heralded Dorner. Bill was captain his junior year. He was also a popular all-scholastic choice for two years.

"Hank" Moore, who played since his freshman year, was speedier than ever before. His off tackle and end running in the Cambridge and Norwood games were features.

Walter Howell, a football man for three years, because of a weak knee, was out of the game the first part of the season, but when he returned, his forward passing did much to increase Medford's final scores.

"Fish" Ellis was an exceptional find for Medford. He was one of the two players who were not Seniors. His punting and end running was sensational all year and his selection of plays was far better than that of the opposing quarterbacks.

"Zeke" Fierman played a steady game all season at left end. His work in the Everett game was worthy of much praise. His recovery of two fumbles and his interception of a forward pass were important factors in that decisive game.

"Al" Baptiste did the best tackling in Medford line. He prevented many gains in every game by his fine tackling. He never failed to be a steady and dependable player.

"Hump" Howe played a good steady game all season at left guard. He helped a great deal in making the team a championship outfit. He was also a worthy substitute dropkicker.

"Dick" Phelan, besides being Medford's pivot man, took care of the drop-kicking. He was the best dropkicker in New England. He was selected on many all-scholastic teams, either as center or utility. He scored 44 points during the year, which was more than any other Medford player gathered.

"Tiddles" Nichols at right guard was a power in the line. In the Malden game, by his fast interference for Murphy, he showed that he was a wide-awake player. Heavy and strong, he made an excellent guard.

"Nuddeh" Mander, who was elected Captain of the 1924 team in the President's room in the Capitol at Washington, was a hard tackler. His down the field work under punts and his refusal to let the opposing half backs slip around his end made him an almost unanimous choice for all-scholastic honors.



“Ed” Cunningham was the utility end man, and there was not a better one to be found. He kept Mander and Fierman working all season to hold their positions. He played in nearly every game and showed up well. He got two touchdowns during the year.

“Brad” Howes, the utility backfield man, because of injuries to regular backfield men, played much of the time, especially during the early part of the season.

“Gump” Gurney was ready at any time to step in and fill a tackle job. His work in the Somerville game was his best performance.

“Bevo” Marshall, although light in weight, was a good man to fill in either at center or at guard. He got the only touchdown in the Everett game by receiving a forward pass and dashing a few yards for a score.

“Jebber” Maurette was a good guard, but did not get much chance to play. Nevertheless he showed up well when he was in the game.

Leo Appiani, the basket ball captain, made his letter by playing in the line and backfield.

Eddie Morton, the baseball captain, saved the team from a possible defeat in the St. John’s game by intercepting a forward on Medford’s 10-yard line and running to St. John’s 30-yard line.

Hugo Manfree, playing halfback in part of a few games, made his letter.

“Ed” Herb, a sophomore, looked as if he would be able to fill Leary’s shoes in another season.

“Red” Mulkerin made his letter, subbing tackle. He should be able to fill a tackle’s berth easily next year.

“Archie” Surrence made his letter in his Sophomore and Junior years and looked as if he would make a good halfback for Mander’s eleven.

“Pete” Nichols is one of the few letter men left to the 1924 team. He is a center.



## *Second Season*

Coach—ARTHUR SAMPSON

Captain—LEO APPIANI '24

Manager—AL BAPTISTE '24

MEDFORD HIGH started her second season of basketball with a veteran outfit. In addition to Captain Appiani, "Fish" Ellis, Walter Howell, "Ed" Herb, "Bill" Leary, "Lefty" Talbot, and "Jim" Carroll, several newcomers strengthened the squad. Although this was only the second year it has become a major sport, and the deserving players will receive letter awards.

As a whole, the season was a very successful one, for out of sixteen games Medford won twelve and lost four. Much credit must be given to Coach Sampson for the development of this team. Playing some of the best teams in the state, the Medford five has had the distinction of beating every high school team it met.

Medford was defeated twice by the Rivers five, a prep school team, which first defeated Medford by 21 to 18. The second time Medford lost a hard-fought game by a score of 13 to 12.

Captain "Appie" put up a fine game the entire season, caging some great long shots. His passing, dribbling, and fine defensive work were important cogs in the machine.

"Fish" Ellis was the high scorer of the year, making shots from all corners of the floor. He has a good eye for the basket, and should make a big captain next year.

Walter Howell joined the team in time to play the second game, and made good from then on. Although not a high scorer, his passing and ability to get the tap off were important factors in the final score.





BASKETBALL TEAM, 1924

“Lefty” Talbot turned in his second year of good work. He was second high scorer, and he and Ellis made a great pair of forwards.

“Ed” Herb had a good year, playing a fine defensive game. Although unable to score points, playing a standing back all season, his defensive work kept the opposing teams’ scores at a minimum.

Carrol, “Bill” Leary, and “Peanut” MacDonald reinforced the first five, and did a good piece of work.

The summary:

Medford.....	16	Dedham .....	15
Medford.....	13	Arlington .....	20
Medford.....	20	Dedham .....	8
Medford.....	33	Weymouth .....	14
Medford.....	25	Stoughton .....	14
Medford.....	24	Waltham .....	21
Medford.....	18	Rivers School.....	27
Medford.....	36	Belmont .....	12
Medford.....	21	Weymouth .....	28
Medford.....	34	Stoughton .....	9
Medford.....	30	Waltham .....	17
Medford.....	19	Milton Academy.....	11
Medford.....	12	Rivers .....	13
Medford.....	30	Everett .....	4
Medford.....	59	Arlington .....	12
Medford.....	26	Everett .....	18





GIRLS' SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAM

## *Girls' Basketball Team*

THE girls' basketball season this year has been one of the most successful and enjoyable in the history of the sport in Medford High. After the class teams were selected, the usual interclass tournament was held, in which the Seniors were victorious.

The class tournament opened with the Senior vs. Junior game on March 5. The Seniors won 39 to 5. This was the decisive game of the championship tournament. On March 12 the Sophomores beat the Freshmen 32 to 3. In a double-header on March 13, the Seniors beat the Sophomores 48 to 14, and the Juniors beat the Freshmen 41 to 6. On March 15, the Juniors defeated the Sophomores 37 to 6, and March 26 the Seniors won from the Freshmen 46 to 24.

The girls' varsity team had never before played an outside school, but this year permission was granted to play the Sargent Freshmen. Medford was defeated by a large score.

On March 25 the varsity defeated the Alumni 26 to 12.

Another outside game with Malden was played at Medford. Medford won 63 to 9.

The season closed with a game on April 4 with the Faculty. The varsity won 37 to 16.

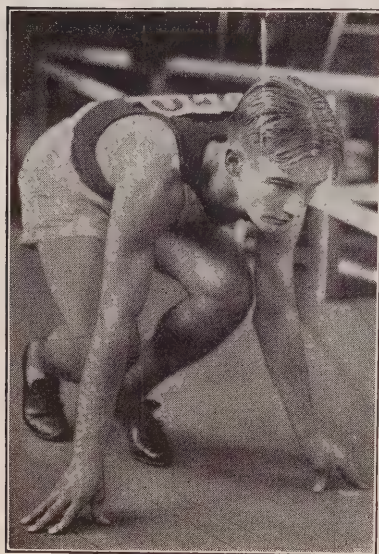
### Senior and Varsity lineup:

PAULINE SHENK (Captain).....	Forward
HELEN WYMAN.....	Forward
KATHERINE QUINE.....	Guard
DOROTHY GAFFNEY.....	Guard
ELEANOR FISKE.....	Jumping Center
GRACE McNULTY.....	Side Center



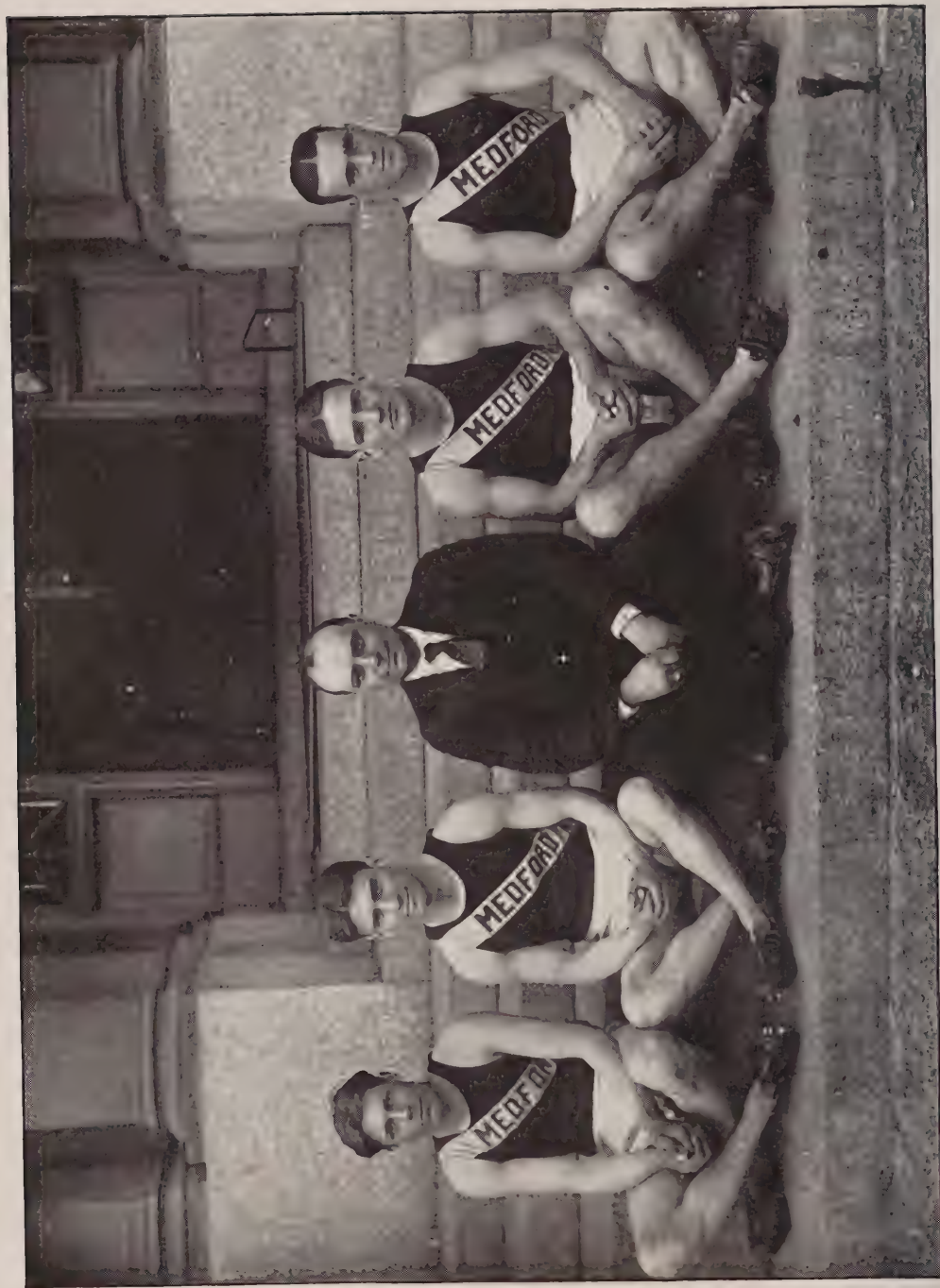


TRACK TEAM, 1924



HARRINGTON MOORE  
Captain Track Team





RELAY TEAM—THIRD NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP OF AMERICA

## *Indoor Track*

Coach—ARTHUR SAMPSON

Captain—HARRINGTON MOORE

Manager—HUMPHREY B. HOWE

THE Blue and White Track Team won five dual meets, as well as three out of four of the championship meets in which she was entered. Among the teams beaten out this year were Alumni, Huntington, Rindge, Brookline, Lawrence, Lowell, Lynn Classical, and Hebron Academy. The only teams which were able to cope with the Blue and White stars were Andover and Exeter.

“Hank” Moore, Captain, was second highest scorer with  $54\frac{1}{2}$  points. Although he could have almost doubled that total had he cared to enter into every meet. His best efforts were in the dash, but towards the end of the year he began to develop real shot putting form and proved to be Medford’s star in this event. His best put measured 44 ft. He also ran on the relay team, besides winning the running broad jump in the Bowdoin Interscholastic meet.

“Hal” Moody was the highest point scorer, gaining his points in the high and broad jump. He reached 5 ft.  $11\frac{7}{8}$  in. in the former, the best a Medford jumper ever made, and 9 ft. 8 in. in the latter, only an inch or so behind Carl Lindner’s state record.

“Hennie” Hormel in the dash, 300, and relay, was Medford’s third highest man, two points behind the leader. He showed his heels to all 300-yarders in the state. His best performance of the year was in the Harvard indoor games when he ran to a new schoolboy record of 34 1-5 seconds, the fastest a New England schoolboy was ever clocked. In the Bowdoin meet he also hung up a new record of 34 2-5 seconds. His running on the relay team was as consistent as his performances in the 300.

Fred Parshley, fourth place man, with 43 points, Medford’s best bet in the hurdles, showed his heels to a fast field in the Harvard and Bowdoin games, not to mention several dual meets. His high jumping and broad jumping raised his total considerably.

Walter Rierdan, with  $23\frac{1}{2}$  points, a consistent scorer in the dash and 300, was a fine lead-off man in the relay. His flying start in the Huntington meet gave Medford the race and the meet.

Bradley Howes scored well in the broad jump and shot put.

Walter Howell, a shot putter of note, won the Huntington meet with an effort of 39 ft. 10 in.

Jerry Tatton, second only to Moody in the high jump, was a handy man to have around.



Fred Cummings, who has worked hard for four years, deserves a great deal of credit. His running at Lawrence, and on the relay team at the Harvard games was thrilling. Fred is a worker and has the stuff to continue his work in track.

“Joe” Orpen, Stewart, and Knox in the 1000, brought home the major number of points in almost every meet.

Surette, Gillis, and Gahan were Medford’s best 600-yarders.

Fred “Fish” Ellis, whose sole race was in the relay, certainly did well, for not in one race did his opponent outrun him, while his spectacular finish against Brookline in the State meet was his most praiseworthy feat of the year.

#### The Summary :

Medford.....	54	Alumni .....	14
Medford.....	36	Huntington .....	32
Medford.....	62	Rindge .....	6
Medford.....	56	Brookline .....	12
Medford.....	51½	Lawrence .....	16½
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Total.....	261½	Opponents .....	78½

#### Championships

#### Nearest Opponents

Medford.....	28¾	Harvard A. A.....	16¼
Medford.....	25	Huntington .....	14¼
Medford.....	13	B. A. A. Games.....	25
Medford.....	44	Bowdoin .....	25

# BASEBALL



We sincerely regret that, due to the early time at which *The Blue and White* went to press, a full account of the baseball team's achievements is not available.

## THE TEAM

LEARY .....	Catcher
O'CONNOR .....	Catcher
KNOX .....	Pitcher
CONNORS .....	Pitcher
GILLIS .....	Pitcher
APPIANI .....	First Base
HERB .....	First Base
NUTTEN .....	Second Base
MORTON, Capt.....	Shortstop
PHELAN .....	Third Base
NICHOLS .....	Third Base
MANDER .....	Left Field
ELLIS .....	Center Field
MICHELSON .....	Right Field
MURPHY .....	Center Field
TREBINO .....	Right Field
HANLEY .....	Pitcher
MORRISSEY .....	Pitcher
SANDS .....	Manager
MANSFIELD .....	Coach





BASEBALL TEAM, 1924

## *Field Hockey*

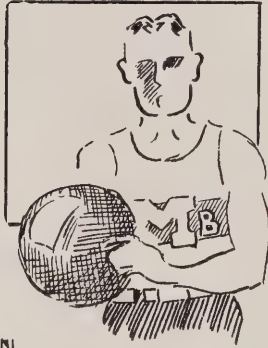
**D**URING the fall of 1923 the upper class girls of Medford High had hockey practice at the Playstead grounds. The first game of the season was played between the Juniors and Sophomores, the Juniors winning. Score: Juniors, 8; Sophomores 1. In the Senior-Junior game the teams were well matched, making it difficult for either team to win, but the Seniors came out on top with one point in their favor. Score: Seniors, 5; Juniors, 4.

In the last game, the Senior-Sophomore, the Seniors were again victorious. Score: Seniors, 5; Sophomores, 2.

### SENIOR TEAM

EDITH MACCARTHY.....	Center
DOROTHY WHITE, KATHERINE QUINE, EVELYN RAE.....	Insides
GRACE McNULTY, BETTY DERRY.....	Wings
DOROTHY GAFFNEY.....	Center Halfback
HELEN WYMAN.....	Left Halfback
PAULINE SHENK, Captain.....	Right Halfback
GERALDINE PUFFER.....	Left Fullback
GRACE GOUDY, MILDRED DODGE.....	Right Fullback
HELEN KELLEY.....	Goalkeeper

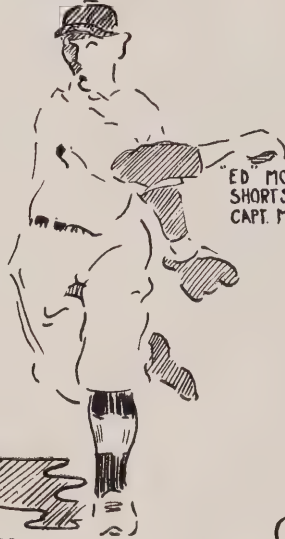




LEO. APPIANI  
GUARD  
CAPT. M.H.S. BASKETBALL



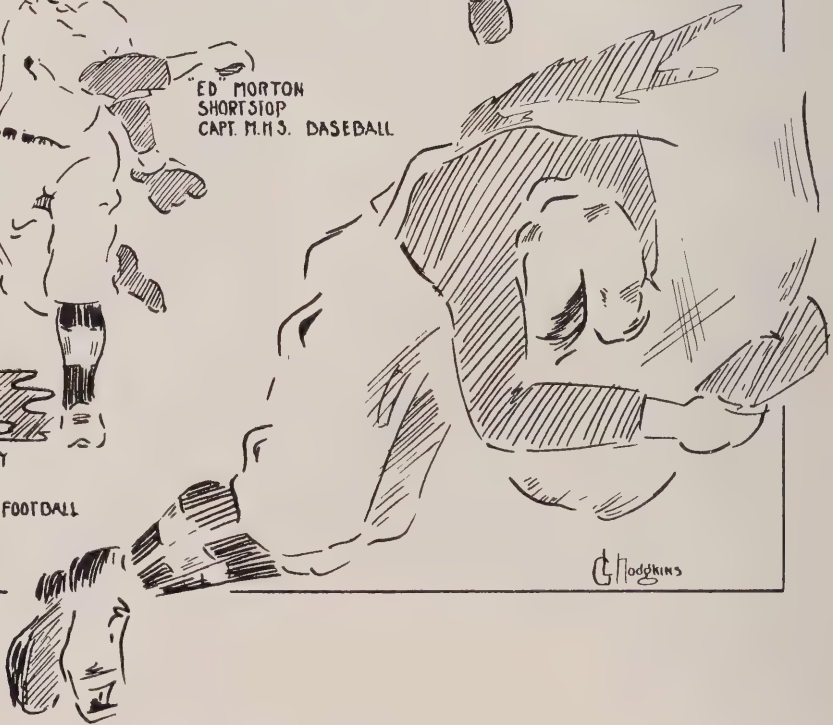
"HANK" MOORE  
100 YDS. DASH  
CAPT. M.H.S. TRACK



"ED" MORTON  
SHORTSTOP  
CAPT. M.H.S. BASEBALL



JOE MURPHY  
TACKLE  
CAPT. M.H.S. FOOTBALL



# KNOCKS



Pres Eugene Poole

Easy conversational manner which holds attention of his audience. Much oil, heavy thrown in every speech. The boy is from Oklahoma, THAT'S enough





## *Daily Bulletin*

*Friday, June 13, 1924*

Please read the following notices:

I. Unless Mr. Bassett stops peddling out blue slips so freely, he will be asked to resign from the faculty immediately. His bill for these little articles has amounted to almost one hundred dollars, even at the wholesale price.

II. The Senior Class is requested to contribute a sufficient sum for the purpose of procuring coats and hats for Stanley Cushing and Raymond Miller.

III. Those who desire to take a course in house cleaning can begin at any time in Room 15 on Elizabeth Howard's desk.

IV. If Miss Lyons needs aid in directing traffic near Room 14, she can call on Bill Leary. He proved his efficiency as a cop in "Penrod".

V. Headache bands may be procured from Muriel Simonson in Room 15. They will be cheap because she buys the material for them from the rag man.

VI. All those who have not already seen the portrait of Mr. Cary, drawn by Collier, must see it. It is a work of art, and no pupil will be passed in English unless he has beheld it.

VII. The final cut for the ping-pong team has been made. The following have been retained: Abbott (captain), Morrill, L. Risman, Maurette, and Bowman. Their positions are respectively: Jumping Center, Drawback, Wayback, Mudguard, and Safeguard. The team will be under the direction of that famous ping-pong coach, Miss Lomasny.

VIII. For the Senior Class gift to the school, we suggest grass seed for the lawn on the north side of the building.

IX. Miss Lemay is asked not to smile so much. It's apt to injure her for life.

X. Mr. Olson is requested to resurrect Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Shean.

### *The Best Sellers*

“Paradise Lost”—Room 13. Oh that tap, tap, tap!!!

“Paradise Regained”—Room 12. It is such a serene and soothing place!

“Child’s Garden of Verses”—Room 14. The SCHOLARS are so babyish!

“The Turmoil”—Room 15. Oh jes’ look at those desks!

“The School for Scandal”—Room 16. A regular whirlwind of chatter!

“The Tempest”—Room 17. The barking of that tornado!

“The Child’s Play”—Room 23. Second cousin to Room 14.



REMEMBER.  
P.O.!



Yes - yes - yes -  
- I see, yes -  
- Sure thing! -  
Yes - yes



Sail on:  
Sail on -  
Sail on -  
and ON  
and ON



x = her height  
y = my height  
2y - x = 4 ft  
How tall is she?



A long  
English  
Assignment



Take to the end of the  
chapter



Ooo-oo  
Mm-m  
La-La  
La-La  
!!!



Charlotte H. Campbell





## *As Others See Us*

- I. Gloomy Gus—"Jit" Morrissey.
- II. The Two-year-old Cut-up—Donald Moats.
- III. Virgil's Foster Sons—Clinton Rian and Jim Wallace.
- IV. Class Pets—Appi and Mike Nigro.
- V. Best Borrowers—Hank and Henney.
- VI. Paul Whiteman's Only Rival—Mr. Gilkey.
- VII. M. H. S. BELL-Hop—Miss Bella Porter.
- VIII. Mutt and Jeff—Dot Rockwell and Clara Mitchell.
- IX. Otto Grow—Harold Moody.
- X. A Second John D.—Ralph Diamond.
- XI. Siamese Twins—Packard and Cushing
- XII. Troubadors—Howe, Howes, Howell.
- XIII. Three Musketeers—Murphy, J. Gurney, Cunningham.
- XIV. The Bashful Boy—Charlie Nichols.
- XV. The Last Word—Ida Esner.
- XVI. The Dumbbell—Abby Blanchard.
- XVII. Two Little Girls in Blue—Miss Bennett and Miss Thomas.
- XVIII. Our Senior Graces—Miss Eyrick and Miss Sherburn.
- XIX. Baby Peggy—Hazel Richings.
- XX. Mary and Martha—Mrs. Webb and Miss Bennett.

## *Facts We'd Like to Know*

Who is the kind-hearted person who bequeaths all the old pencil stubs to Miss Smith?

What is Miss Small's time for the hundred-yard dash?

By what brutal means does Thelma Hersey get all her so-called "frat" pins?

Where did Hank Moore prepare that brilliant speech he gave in the Assembly Hall April eighth?

Why does Edward Boynton talk so much?

What kind of rubber heels does Mr. Kendall use?

When and where does Carder buy his hats?

How long does Abbott study?

Why do girls have autograph books?

How often does Al Baptiste wear a hat?

Where does Henry Hormel get all his unmitigated nerve?

Which one is Appianni's girl?

How and when did Louise Marsh learn to love mice?

How does Priscilla Frost know so much about John Conway?

Where does Ray White get that "skin you love to touch"? Does "Chilli" Walls use the same kind?

Did they give the same prescription to Melba Davis?

Does Helen Kelly feel the need of Herbs in spring?

Why Mildred Callahan never hears a question?

Why Miss Daggett gets her tennis practise by rapping the boards?



## *Things We Never See*

Donald Moats pulling out neckties.  
Raymond Miller talking to young ladies.  
Grace Uanna arriving in Algebra on time.  
Walter Rierdan's socks.  
B. Knowles deep in thought.  
Dorothy Rockwell reciting in class.  
Ralph Bennett walking afternoons.  
Dave Izen playing *music*.  
Mr. Kendall refusing money.  
Mr. Merrill using a dust cloth.  
Miss Loftus using French in class.  
Mr. Bennett without a raincoat.  
Miss Lomasney without her flivver.  
Leary with knickers.  
Boys with autograph books.  
Mr. Sampson's hair in his eyes.  
Cummings with books for home study.  
Thelma Jerguson without a hat bag.  
Mr. Gilkey's upper lip.  
Dorothy Gaffney in an argument.  
Gladys FitzGerald up-to-date in dress.  
Marion Coleman sedate.  
Josephine Conway in a front seat.  
The girls wear the hats they made in millinery.  
Miss Sherburne in blue.  
Mrs. Webb in a webb.  
Mr. Finnegan out of order.  
Chauncey Potter without a girl.  
Pearl Sawyer's head without a wave.

## *If*

**I**F White had but Miss Small's rep—  
For speeches far and near,  
With Professor Merrill's knowledge,  
And our music teacher's ear;  
With Mr. Leonard's chemistry,  
And Miss Loftus' "Quel?"  
Could he teach things better than they're taught,  
Or could he do as well?

If room phones should ever be in order,  
And the bell that rings at eight,  
Should never ring till nine o'clock,  
We'd think it pretty great.  
But if the thing should come to pass,  
Would we be happy at that time?  
Would we get up to eat at seven,  
Or would we sleep right through till nine?

If Nichols had taken English IV,  
A dozen times or more,  
And tutored up in English Comp,  
And written themes galore;  
And if the "Review" board entire  
Had conquered grammar's terrors;  
O, would our "Review" then be free  
From typographic errors?

If Walls were never lazy,  
If Stewart loved to work,  
If minds were never hazy,  
And no one tried to shirk,  
Success would be a fable,  
A+ no sense at all;  
To grow we'd be unable,  
To rise we'd *have* to fall.

C. W. W.

## *The Grind*

### I

A Grind there was and he worked till dark  
Even as you and I,  
For the Senior exams and a passing mark  
Even as you and I.  
We watched him dig and thought it a lark,  
But the grind, he worked like a regular shark  
Even as you and I.

### II

They say the fool expected an "A"  
Even as you and I,  
Or perhaps at least a hard-earned "B"  
Even as you and I.  
He laughed, of course, at a possible "C",  
So it jolted him hard when he got a "D"  
Even as you and I.

C. W. W.



## *Plays We Have Seen*

Much Ado About Nothing.....	Rising time
As You Like It.....	Your Senior Dance dress (?)
All's Well that Ends Well.....	Senior elections
The Tempest.....	Cast announcement
Kick In.....	Everyone at 9:30 P. M.
The Outcast.....	A Junior at the Senior dance
Within the Law.....	Our local paper
On Trial.....	Photographic inspection
Turn to the Right.....	Filing between periods
Sinners.....	Studios people in Senior Assemblies
The Secret.....	Sleeping over and knowing little in class on Monday morning
Daddy Long-Legs.....	Mr. Walker
Watch Your Step.....	Aesthetic dancing
Diplomacy.....	Getting excused from Gym
It Pays to Advertise.....	Ask Mr. Cary
River's End.....	Mr. Kadesch's office
The Last Chance.....	Final exams
Better Times.....	Vacations

## *When Dreams Come True*

### *When*

1. Everyone is allowed to “whisper” when passing from one period to another.
2. No one gazes out of the windows during classes.
3. *All* the Seniors remember *all* the details of their *last* experiment.
4. Mr. Bennett can *not* hear so well as he can now.
5. The study room desks can be closed without being sat upon.
6. Miss Smith *forgets* to assign “Caesar.”
7. We can find the book we want in the library.
8. Everyone hands in his written theme to Miss Lyons.
9. “Joan of Arc” is “Noah’s” wife (?)
10. The Year Book was exactly what everyone wanted and hoped for.

## *Did You Know That*

The class always enjoyed Esther Morang's recitation?

Abby Blanchard never received a red ink D?

We are going on a Furlong?

Doris Clausen and Mina MacBrayne never corrected mistakes?

Helen Lacey was our best typist?

Isabella Brawley never failed in history?

Margaret Griffin was an authority in arithmetic?

Juffre was the printer's devil?

Grace Quinn had the loudest voice in the class?

Dorothy White was never busy?

Miss Baker's biscuits could be eaten?



## *Wouldn't It Be Funny If*

The Faculty could converse with ease over the room phones?

The radiators did not serenade us winter mornings?

The Quine-McNulty-Kelly trio weren't together?

Miss Loftus tried to be dignified?

Miss Lyons forgot to say, "My stars!"

No one had to be reminded about using the right-hand door.

Harrington Moore wasn't with two Sophomores?

Everyone had had his pictures taken ahead of time?

Carder knew nothing about Physics?

It did not rain on Saturday?

## *What We Expect To See In 1940*

Litchfield—Alarm clock salesman.

Grace MacNulty—Fashion plate for tall women.

Dick Phelan—American League bench holder.

Betty Derry—Another Theda Bara.

Cornelius Stewart—A second Daniel Webster.

Loretta Doyle—The silent alarm.

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## *A Toast To The Faculty*

Here's to our faculty, long may they live—

Even as long as the lessons they give.

## *Brief Knocks*

Why are some students afraid to enter the old building?

Because room twelve contains one of the Lyons family. (?)

“We shall now be in a position to ascertain beyond all reasonable doubt and with only a slight discrepancy the efficiency of this particular steam engine. F x D — F x D.”

“I’ll have it quiet here. If we can’t behave ourselves, we’ll have no more of these entertainments”—Merry Christmas!!

If the editor of the *Year Book* is weary, upon what could he lean? The staff, of course!

“Hump” Howe claims a high school education broadens a man.

Long will 1924 remember  
Another sincere faculty member,  
Who’d never think of taking a snap,  
Much less, perhaps, a well-earned nap.  
Who is she, you ask! !—Sara Clapp.

Really Moats, there was nothing premeditated in our putting you alone at the end. We always knew you were in a class by yourself.



# THE END



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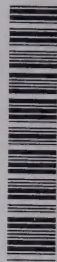




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